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PRE-SOLICITATION NOTICE

Solicitation No. SGE500-06-R-1090

The American Consulate General, Frankfurt hereby provides the following Pre-Solicitation Notice in respect of the issuance of a Request for Proposal (RFP) for:

LABORATORY SUPPORT SERVICES FOR CDC ADDIS ABABA ETHIOPIA

The Regional Procurement Support Office in Frankfurt, Germany intends to issue a Firm-Fixed Price type of contract with reimbursable costs for per diem and spare parts to support the President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR) program on behalf of CDC Addis Ababa in September 2006.

The scope of work requires the successful contractor to provide technical support which includes training services to laboratory technicians, maintenance services for laboratory equipment, monitoring services of antiretroviral treatment for 80,000 HIV patients and stock management services.

Proposals will be due approximately 15 days after release of the solicitation.

Companies interested in the solicitation shall express their interest by written correspondence to the attention of Sum Chong at the above fax number or e-mail address using the solicitation number SGE500-06-R-1064 in the subject line. DO NOT TELEPHONE. All requests for a copy of the solicitation <u>MUST</u> include the following information: Name of Firm, Name, Telephone and Fax Numbers, and Email Address of Point of Contact and Complete Physical and Mailing Address of Firm. The solicitation package will only be available in the English language.

Solicitation and award will be subject to the laws and regulations of the United States of America and is being competed utilizing full and open competition procedures.

Sincerely yours,

Contracting Officer